DATA ITEM DESCRIPTION

Title: PROGRAM-UNIQUE SPECIFICATION DOCUMENTS
Number: DI-SDMP-81493A Approval Date: 1 August 2003
AMSC Number: D7503 Limitation: N/A
DTIC Applicable: No GIDEP Applicable: No

Office of Primary Responsibility: OSD-SO

Applicable Forms: N/A

Use, Relationships: A program-unique specification will be used to specify functional and performance requirements and, where applicable, design solutions for systems, items, software, processes, and materials developed and manufactured for use with a single system, product, or application. Requirements are stated, as applicable, in terms of required results, the environment in which it must operate, interface, and interchange characteristics; materials to be used; how the item is to be fabricated or constructed; and criteria for verifying compliance. Program-unique specification documents are intended for reference in contracts.

This Data Item Description (DID) contains the content and format preparation instructions for program-unique specification documents, and for revisions thereto, described in MIL-STD-961.

This DID should not be invoked for items used in multiple systems, products, or applications. In multiple application cases, specification documents should be prepared in accordance with DI-SDMP-81464A and DI-SDMP-81465A.

System specifications should not be prepared in accordance with this DID if DI-IPSC-81431A is included in the Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL). Software specifications should not be prepared in accordance with this DID if DI-IPSC-81433A, DI-IPSC-81434A, and DI-IPSC-81441A are included in the CDRL.

This DID supersedes DI-SDMP-81493.

Requirements:

- 1. <u>Reference documents.</u> The applicable issue of the documents cited herein, including their approval dates and dates of any applicable amendments, notices, and revisions, shall be as specified in the contract.
- 2. <u>Format and content.</u> Format and content for program-unique specification documents, and revisions to program-unique specification documents, shall be in accordance with paragraphs 4.1 through 5.14 of MIL-STD-961.
- 3. END OF DI-SDMP-81493A.